

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re patent application of
MANFRED KELLER, et al.

Serial No. To be Assigned

Filed: Herewith

For: DRY POWER FOR INHALATION

***This application is a continuation of U.S. Patent
Appln. Serial No. 09/831,011, filed August 9, 2001***

X

Mail Stop Patent Application
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND
CLAIM FOR PRIORITY

Dear Sir:

Prior to calculating the filing fee for the above-identified application, kindly
make the following amendments.

Amendments to the Specification begin on Page 2 of this Preliminary Amendment.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on Page
5 of this Preliminary Amendment.

Remarks begin on Page 14 of this Preliminary Amendment.